## VANNA KATHARINA SCHOTT,

Former Groton Woman Passes Away at Aberdeen.

Anna Katharina Schott passed away at Aberdeen, Saturday, November 11, 1916. She had been afflicted with dropsy for the past year, and death resulted therefrom. Funeral services were held from the Joseph Jost home in Groton, yesterday afternoon, Rev. Senne officiating, with interment in Groton cemetery.

Anna Katharina Schinkel was born in Cutmore, Almsure, Germany, Nov. 24, 1844. When six years old she came to America, in 1850, with her parents, living at first in Illinois and later moving to Potsdam, Minn. Here she was married in 1861 to Peter Young. 'Nine children were born to this union. She was married again in 1876 to Theodore Claussen, four children being born to them. In 1890, having in the meantime removed to South Dakota, she was married to Robert Schott. One child was born to them but it passed away in infancy.

Surviving her are her husband, ten children, three brothers, one sister, and a number of other relatives. At the time of her taking away she was 71 years, 11 months and 11 days old.